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Nothing is as certain as change — Now, the Department of Public Instruction is to be known as the Pennsylvania Department of Education. And, its boss no longer the Superintendent of the D.P.I. He is Secretary of Education.

It's the word "public" in the former title which no longer is relevant.

Although we are not much interested in unsigned messages, one arrived this week which we believe needs to be aired.

On the back page of the Bulletin there is a list of 10 items which we think are important for Mt. Joy. Some one clipped the list and typed along the side the following: 11. Enforce the 35-mile speed limit on Donegal Springs Road. Break up using road as a race track.

Because we know that the "No. 11" suggestion is a real need and because the neighbors are sick and tired of the situation, we say "Amen."

Which brings us to wonder why it is that the borough owns equipment for setting speed traps but so very seldom uses it.

For instance!

One day within the past week a young driver turned the corner west onto Donegal street off New Haven, traveling at high speed.

Apparently unfamiliar with the streets, he continued straight at the Mennonite church instead of veering left and hurtled on along in front of Shoe Factory Row. He hit a storm drain intake in the road which creates something of a bump, appeared to jump all four wheels off the pavement and of course was driving too fast to make a turn to the left to get back onto Donegal Springs Road.

The car plunged off the west end of Donegal street into the thicket along the old trolley bed and miracul-

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Green Tree Plans Anniversary Of Church House

The West Green Tree Church of the Brethren, two miles north of Rheems, will be celebrating the 100th anniversary of its church house on Sunday, Sept. 14, with a full day of services.

The community and friends of the church are invited to attend any or all of the services.

The Rev. Walter E. Shank, a son of the congregation, now serving the Pleasant View Church of the Brethren in Fayetteville, West Va. will preach at the 10 a. m. service. His topic will be "The Glorious Unity of the Church." The 2 p. m. anniversary service will be addressed by Dr. A. G. Bridestine, a layman from the Lancaster Church of the Brethren, currently serving as Moderator of the Denomination. His subject will be "The Shape of the West Green Tree Church in the Next Decade."

The celebration will conclude with a choral service of sacred music at the 7:30 p. m. session.

Selections will be presented by the choirs from Chiques, East Fairview, Elizabethtown and Florin Churches of The Brethren. To conclude the service, the choirs which represent churches that derived from a common heritage, will combine under the direction of J. Harold Merkey and sing several selections.

The West Green Tree Church House was built in 1869 and services were alternated between Chiques, West Green Tree and other meeting houses until in 1902 when the West Green Tree church was organized as a separate congregation.

Athletic Assn. to Meet

There will be a meeting of the Mount Joy Athletic Association on Tuesday, September 9, at the Mount Joy fire house.

Primary purpose of the meeting will be to introduce by-laws and to begin a membership drive.

apartment house under construction on Union School road, between the Cross Roads church and Donegal high school, and another one on the Marietta pike.

The new parsonage of the Florin Church of the Brethren, next door to the church on Bruce Avenue, is coming along nicely, and looks as if it would be ready for Pastor Replogle and his family before long.

Each day sees progress on the new sanctuary for Trinity Lutheran church . . . the new Florin Fire company building is an asset to the community . . . the old Central Hotel refurbishing seems to be making giant strides . . . in recent months there have been sizable additions to New Standard and Donegal Industries . . . the old Joy Theatre is getting a new front . . . several houses on East Main street have had "face lifting" jobs, and Al Newlin is working won-

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Donegal Football Opens Saturday

Tribe To Make Season's Start at Hempfield

Saturday's the day and Hempfield is the place!

And, 2 pm. is the time for the 1969 edition of the Donegal high school football Indians to make their debut.

And, this week, all appeared to be in readiness—or would be — by Saturday afternoon.

Coach Al Brooks, assisted by Walt Price, Kemp Zangari and Warren Hayman have had a big squad under intensive drill since the PIAA would allow such activity for this season.

In addition, the lads spent a week (almost at football

camp, leaving Saturday, Aug. 23 and returning Thursday, Aug. 28.

As things stack-up now, the greatest potential for the Indians seems to rest in the backfield, headed by the veteran, high-performing Bruce Sutter.

A three-sport man with a fast arm for about any kind of ball playing may be the keystone around which the club will function.

As quarterback, he will be doing a lot of throwing as well as directing. Best identifiable targets for his forward passes are Scott Pen-

well and John Shrum, both lettermen ends.

With Sutter in the backfield are three other latter winners from last season, when the Tribe won six and dropped only four.

They are Butch McCurdy at a halfback slot and Dennis Hay and Ken Piersol at fullback spots.

However, none of the four veterans, even in high school football, are big men, but, if given the chance, can lay a lot of speed end to end. All are seniors but they average out just under 153 lbs.

How these backfielders use their speed may depend considerably upon what kind of line develops for their protection.

Brooks has only five men around which to form the wall—Scott and Penwell — and George Williams at tackle, and Dave Rouser and Andy Keller at guards.

Thus, new material will be battling for some important slots along the line.

Here, again, the veterans are not big boys for the traditional beef department. The lettermen average 163, but all are seniors except Keller, who is a junior.

The center will come from a senior pool including Mike Sweigert, Warren Stehman and Jim Smith, averaging 153 pounds.

Others in the "varsity" string who will be making bids for recognition and game time include:

Linemen — Scott Lowery, Mike Wolfe, Jim Forry, Harrison Nauman, Scott Madara, Eric Olson, Mike Brace, Mike Miller and Gary Mohr.

Backfield — Doug Estock, Mark Gainer, Ken Geesey, Duane Risberg, Mark Troup and Tom Derr.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

The ladies auxiliary of the Mount Joy American Legion post will meet Thursday evening, Sept. 4 at 7 o'clock at the post home for a covered dish supper.

FIVE DAY

Weather Forecast

From The Harrisburg Weather Bureau Thursday through Monday Sept. 4 - 8

Temperatures for the 5-day period from Thursday through Monday are expected to average above normal. Daytime highs will be in the upper 80's; nighttime lows in the upper 60's.

Precipitation may total ¼" - ½", occurring as showers Thursday and again Monday.

Helps to Open 'Miss America'

A local boy helped usher in the famed Miss America pageant in Atlantic City when he marched as a member of the Milton Hershey School Drill Team and Varsity Band, and participated in the gala boardwalk parade which began the week-long festivities on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

He is Robert Longenecker, son of Lineaus W. Longenecker, Manheim R4. Robert, 14, is a freshman at the privately-endowed boys school in Hershey. This is his first year as a member of the varsity band.

The 56 members of the drill team and the 93 boys in the varsity band traveled by school transportation, leaving Hershey Tuesday morning, spending the day in Atlantic City, and returning after the parade. They were accompanied by Gerald Long, drill team instructor, and Ray B. Miller and William Grove, band directors.

The Milton Hershey Band and Drill Team have won honors at several national events, including the annual Cherry Blossom Festival in (Turn to page 8)

New Justice of the Peace System

How the new "justice of the peace" system will operate is beginning to become evident to the general public as the deadline for its beginning approaches.

As of January 1, the new plan, authorized in Pennsylvania by a referendum of the voters, will begin operation.

Locally, there will be — when the plan finally moves through its phase-in phase-out interval — only one justice of the peace in Donegal school district and he will operate in some centrally located" office, which must be approved by the courts. The location actually is in the hands of a committee.

In the Donegal district, the first man to hold the office as one of 20 similar positions in the county, will be Ray Knorr, who presently is J.P. in the West Ward of Mount Joy.

Where his office will be located is not presently known, but attention to that detail will come shortly.

It may be in Mount Joy, it may be in Marietta, it might be in Maytown, or it may be located somewhere between.

The justice of the peace will be on a salary basis (approximately \$7,000), will have office facilities, secretarial help, etc. provided. Payment will be from the public pocket. Previously, justice of the peace payments all have come to the officer on a fee basis from the busi-

Fashion Show Sept. 17

The Mount Joy Joyceettes will present their sixth annual Fall Fashion Wednesday, Sept. 17, at the W. I. Beahm Jr. high school on Poplar Street, in Mount Joy beginning at 8 p. m.

Many exciting fashions will be modeled by Moms and Moppets, Teen-Agers, and Mature Women.

Prizes and Shopping Sprees will be awarded. All proceeds will be used for a scholarship to be awarded to the Senior with the highest average in the Business Education Course at Donegal high school. Refreshments will be served. Tickets on sale at the door. Mrs. Clayhad "face lifting" jobs, and Al Martin are co-chairmen for the event.

'Of This and That'

by the editor's wife

Have you taken an objective look at Mount Joy lately? We don't mean just the part of town where you live, but the town as a whole.

Have you driven around to see the building that's going on, the improvements that are being made, the look of beauty and tidiness that is everywhere?

If you have, it no doubt made you proud of our section of Lancaster County in general, and of Mount Joy in particular!

A little "tour" of the borough Tuesday evening before dark brought many things to our attention:

We saw at least 12 houses under construction or just finished and ready for occupancy. They are nice homes—all brick, brick and frame, or stone and frame. In addition, there is a four-unit

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